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which an individual may receive an education award.

(c) Early release. If a participant is released for reasons other than misconduct prior to completing fifteen percent of a term of service, the term will not be considered one of the two terms of service for which an individual may receive an education award.

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§ 2526.60 May an individual receive an education award and related interest benefits from the National Service Trust as well as other loan cancellation benefits for the same service?

No. An individual may not receive an education award and related interest benefits from the National Service Trust for a term of service and have that same service credited toward repayment, discharge, or cancellation of other student loans.

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PART 2527—DETERMINING THE AMOUNT OF AN EDUCATION AWARD

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§ 2527.10 What is the amount of an AmeriCorps education award?

- (a) Full-time term of service. The education award for a full-time term of service of at least 1,700 hours is \$4,725.
- (b) Part-time term of service. The education award for a part-time term of service of at least 900 hours is \$2,362.50.
- (c) Reduced part-time term of service. The education award for a reduced part-time term of service of fewer than 900 hours is—
- (1) An amount equal to the product of—
- (i) The number of hours of service required to complete the reduced parttime term of service divided by 900; and
 - (ii) 2,362.50; or
- (2) An amount as determined otherwise by the Corporation.
- (d) Release for compelling personal circumstances. The education award for an individual who is released from completing an originally-approved term of

service for compelling personal circumstances is equal to the product of—

- (1) The number of hours completed divided by the number of hours in the originally-approved term of service;
- (2) The amount of the education award for the originally-approved term of service.

PART 2528—USING AN EDUCATION AWARD

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2528.60 What steps are necessary to use an education award to pay expenses incurred in participating in an approved school-to-work program?

2528.70 What happens if an individual withdraws or fails to complete the period of enrollment in an approved school-towork program for which the Corporation has disbursed all or part of that individual's education award?

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§ 2528.10 For what purposes may an education award be used?

- (a) Authorized uses. An education award may be used—
- (1) To repay qualified student loans in accordance with §2528.20;
- (2) To pay all or part of the current educational expenses at an institution of higher education in accordance with §§ 2528.30 through 2528.50;
- (3) To pay expenses incurred in participating in an approved school-towork program in accordance with §2528.60 through §2528.70.